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Applicant: Lee et al.

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For: METHOD FOR REFINING 2,6-NAPHTHALENE DICARBOXYLIC ACID

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response prior to examination of the application filed herewith and having the above title, please amend the application as follows: